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## SOLONS IN SESSION

Pennsylvania Legislators Began Work Monday Night by Electing

### GARVIN CHIEF CLERK

A Victory for the Gang—Leib of Schuylkill Chosen Resident Clerk—Mr. Matt's Position.

The Pennsylvania Legislature reassembled at Harrisburg Monday night to begin the actual work of the session.

The new rules which are supposed to do away with the gag and insure honest consideration of measures were adopted without opposition, and the list of standing committees furnished by the Committee on Committees, which gives proportionate committee representation to all political parties, was accepted.

The old gang representatives made their chief fight to retain Thomas H. Garvin, who has done effective "majority counting" in the past, as chief clerk and succeeded in carrying the point. William S. Leib, the Schuylkill County Boss, was put up as resident clerk by the same combination. Both of these candidates had been rejected as unfit by the Committee on Committees, which named B. K. Boyd and W. P. Young for the places respectively. The Democrats caucused and named James I. Blakeslee for chief clerk and a candidate for resident clerk. The Penrose gang won.

In the appointment of committees, Hon. John T. Matt, in addition to being on the Committee on Committees was assigned to the following: Appropriations, Congressional Apportionment, Law and Order—to which any liquor measure will be referred—and Pensions and Gratuity.

Senator Endsley, representing this district, was appointed on the following committees: Agriculture (chairman), Banks and Building and Loan Associations, Forestry, Judicial Apportionment, Public Grounds and Buildings, Health and Sanitation, Roads and Highways, Legislative Apportionment.

This county did not get any of the minor positions in the House or Senate.

#### BILLS PRESENTED

On Tuesday the following bills of importance were presented:

#### In the Senate—

Seven food bills, prepared by Dairy and Food Commissioner Foust, introduced providing for better enforcement of the pure food laws, and providing fines and imprisonment for violations.

Third class city bill for modified commission form of government.

Mother's pension bill.

To release \$1,750,000 automobile license fund held up in State Treasury for use of roads.

Social club license bill, following suggestion of Governor.

The Senate adjourned until Monday night.

#### In the House—

Three pension bills for veterans of Civil War.

Bill for electrocution for first degree murderers.

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#### Mrs. Harry Shaffer

Mrs. Harry Shaffer of Bedford Township died at her home Wednesday evening of pneumonia, aged about 33 years.

Mrs. Shaffer was a daughter of Joseph and Rebecca Hammond. She is survived by her husband, one daughter about nine years old, her mother, two sisters, Mary and Elizabeth at home, and two brothers, Clarence and Frank, of Altoona.

The funeral services will be held tomorrow (Saturday) forenoon at St. Paul's Church and will be conducted by her pastor, Rev. J. H. Zinn, D. D. Interment will be made in the cemetery adjoining the church.

Mrs. Shaffer was a woman of many fine qualities and will be missed by many friends.

#### Birthday Party

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Smith pleasantly entertained the following young people at their home on South Julian Street, Monday evening, in honor of their daughter, Helen's, thirteenth birthday: Ruth Ritchey, Irene Cuppett, Margaret Pepple, Margaret Stiver, Bertha Wills, Magdalene Calhoun, Nellie Bain, Anna Guyer, Dorothy Allen, Ethel Heitz, George Enfield, Joe Shuck, Harry Brown, Conrad Hughes, Marshall England, Lawrence and Frank Guyer, Lester Mills, Russell McMullin and Luther and Bertram Smith.



Captain Thomas H. Lyons

Taps sounded early last Sunday morning for another old soldier, when Captain Thomas H. Lyons was mustered out to join in the grand re-union on the Great Camp-ground.

Capt. T. H. Lyons Fifty-two years ago, when the call to arms was sent forth, Captain Lyons was a handsome and gallant young man. He was soon in the field, and before the war closed he had been the commanding officer of two companies of Bedford County boys. From October, 1861, to May, 1863, he was Captain of Company D, 55th Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry; and from February, 1864, to the close of the war he was Commander of Company I, Pennsylvania Volunteer Cavalry. In May, 1863, bad health compelled him to return home, but he did not remain home long. As soon as he was able for duty, he joined the cavalry service and served until the close of the war. He was for a time on the staff of General Rutherford B. Hayes, and later served under the great cavalry leader, Sheridan, and was with "Little Phil" at the Battle of Winchester.

At the Battle of Berryville (Virginia), Sunday morning, August 21, 1864, while drawn up in line of battle, the enemy trained a battery on Companies I and K. During the engagement, "Mack," the Captain's fine black steed was wounded, and the same ball that wounded "Mack," hit and wounded Scott Fletcher's prancing bay. Captain Lyons loved his spirited war horse, and after he was wounded the Captain sent him home where he was tenderly cared for until he died.

There were 160 officers and men in Company D. Thirty-six of these men were from Bedford. Only six of the Bedford boys are now living. They are: Humphrey Y. Arnold, David W. Prosser, James Metzger, W. W. Weisel, Jacob Burkett and James Stoudenour.

Of the 120 men and officers in Company I, 24 are living, two of whom live in Bedford: W. Scott Fletcher and Barton Spidle.

The writer has been closely associated with Captain Lyons for the past two years. During that time he never heard him talk in an unkind way about anyone; he never heard him tell a vulgar or dubious story, or use language that could not be used in the presence of ladies. He was always courteous. He had a clean and intelligent mind. Captain Lyons was a gentleman—a well-bred son of well-born parents.

Captain Lyons was born December 7, 1832, in the old stone house where he was mustered out, January 19, 1913, aged 80 years. The Captain, his father, his mother, and his sister Margaret all passed away in the month of January in this old stone mansion.

Captain Lyons was the oldest son of Nicholas Lyons, who for forty years was Bedford's leading merchant. Nicholas Lyons was born in County of Carlow, Ireland, and came to Bedford in 1812. Bedford County never had a better citizen than Nicholas Lyons. In 1828 he married a beautiful Pittsburgh girl, Miss Mary Carson O'Hara, a granddaughter of General James O'Hara, of Revolutionary days.

Captain Lyons was educated in the Bedford schools and at Mount Saint Mary's College, Maryland. In 1879 he was married to Mary Elmira McGirr, who died five short months ago. Nicholas Lyons, their only living child, is now in the old home where his father was born, and where his grandfather lived one hundred years ago.

The funeral service was held Tuesday morning, January 21, at 9 o'clock, in St. Thomas' Catholic Church, Bedford. The Captain's pastor, Rev. Father Downes, delivered a good, peaceful sermon—a sermon that any old soldier could appreciate. The old Captain, and his old war horse that he loved so much are both at rest. Peace to their ashes. G. M. M.

#### Marriage Licenses

Luther B. Davis and Susie Barley, of Point.

John Ross Fickes of Imler, Rt. 1, and Sue Myers of Roaring Spring, Rt. 1.

John A. Walter and Mary A. Claar, of Queen.

Walter C. Mountain of Cumberland and Cora B. Grove of Clearville, Rt. 1.

## JANUARY COURT

Record of Business Transacted During the Week

### CRIMINAL CASES HEARD

Motions and Petitions Presented—Report of Road Views—Divorces Granted.

Court convened on Monday with President Judge J. M. Woods and Associate Judges William Brice, Sr., and J. W. Huff, present.

Steward Claycomb was excused from service on the grand jury.

J. M. Kennell was appointed foreman of the grand jury.

S. B. Amos, J. B. Bechhoefer, Robert Shin and Dr. W. W. Van Ormer were excused from serving on the petit jury.

The following motions and petitions were presented:

Estate of Leonard Grubb of Monroe, a lunatic, bond of N. C. Meakle, committee and trustee to sell real estate, filed and approved; same estate, return of sale filed and confirmed.

Commonwealth vs. David Barry, depositions before Mahlon Baumgardner, commissioner, filed.

Estate of Jane Mack, late of Broad Top Township, order of sale continued and leave granted to file return at next Argument Court.

Estate of Joseph H. Sparks, late of Monroe, petition for order of sale for payment of debts granted; same estate, bond of administrator filed and approved.

In re petition to change road in Liberty Township near Stoler's Cemetery, report of George W. Cunard, Surveyor, George Points, Attorney, and Capt. Levi Smith, viewers, in which they report against change, filed and confirmed.

Petition of Bedford County Bar Association for the appointment of a law library committee, Attorneys Frank Fletcher, Simon H. Sell, B. F. Madore, D. C. Reiley and D. S. Horn appointed.

Bond of Adam F. Diehl, collector of taxes in Bedford Township, filed and approved.

Report of Bedford County Law Library Committee filed and approved.

Estate of S. W. Amick, late of Snake Spring, widow's inventory filed and approved.

Estate of Jacob Corl, Jr., and Mary Ann Corl, late of Union, bond of Rebecca Ickes, trustee, to sell the real estate of decedent post partition, filed and approved; same estates, order of sale continued.

In re Job Mann Trust, Frank E. Colvin, Esq., J. Scott Corle, W. S. Lysinger, D. W. Prosser, B. F. Madore, Esq., J. A. Wright and Jo. W. Tate appointed trustees.

Estate of Margaret A. Bowman and Peter H. Bowman, late of Hopewell Township, report of George Points, Esq., auditor, filed and confirmed.

Estate of Sarah Zeth, late of Hopewell, petition of Sarah Edith Talbot, a minor grandchild, for the appointment of a guardian; M. V. Zeth appointed with bond in the sum of \$2,250, filed and approved; same estate, petition of guardian for order of sale granted with bond in the sum of \$2,250 filed and approved.

Maggie Sell, executrix of Daniel S. Sell, deceased, vs. L. C. Miller, answer of Plaintiff filed.

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#### Benjamin Huff

Benjamin Huff died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. R. A. Little, in Saxton on Wednesday of this week, aged 86 years, three months and 29 days.

Mr. Huff's parents both died when he was about four years old and he was raised by Solomon Fink near Marklesburg, Huntingdon County. He spent most of his life in Woodcock Valley. His wife died about four years ago and since that time he has been making his home with his children. He is survived by the following children: Hon. John W. Huff, Mrs. R. A. Little, Mrs. Martin Moore and Mrs. W. J. Houp, of Saxton, and Mrs. John Reed and Mrs. Felix Speck, of Shy Beaver.

Mr. Huff was a member of the Reformed Church for many years and his body will rest by the side of that of his beloved wife, Rachel Huff, in the cemetery at the Russell Reformed Church, across the road from which they spent 48 years of their married life.

Mr. Huff was one of the oldest men in that section of the county and many regret his passing to the great beyond.

#### John N. Burkett

John N. Burkett, a well known resident of this place, died at his home, West Penn Street, Saturday night, January 18. He had been a sufferer for the past several years from kidney trouble, and was able to be about until four weeks ago, when he took his bed and rapidly declined.

The deceased was born at Cook's Mills, this county, December 17, 1839, being at the time of his death aged 73 years, one month and one day. He was a son of Nicholas and Annie Zeigler Burkett, both deceased. On October 28, 1861, he was united in marriage to Annie Rebecca Dobson, who with the following children survives: Nicholas F. of Cumberland, Mrs. Margaret Prince of Washington, D. C., Joseph H. and Mrs. Daniel Burkett, of Black Valley; Willard of Altoona, George S., Mrs. Frank Wise and Charles R., of Bedford. He is also survived by three brothers and one sister, James Burkett of Marysville, Kan.; Charles of Blue Rapids, Kan.; Lewis of Nebraska, and Mrs. Martha Lowery of Cook's Mills.

The deceased was a veteran of the Civil War, having enlisted in Company D, 138th Regt., August 26, 1862, and continued in service until the close of the conflict. For many years he was employed by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company as a section foreman, and was retired several years ago. He was a member of the Buffalo Mills Lodge of Odd Fellows and of Washington Camp, No. 81, P. O. S. of A., of this place, which organization attended the funeral in a body and conducted services at the grave.

The funeral service was held Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock in the Methodist Episcopal Church, conducted by the pastor, Rev. W. V. Ganoe, where a large concourse of friends and relatives had gathered to pay their last tribute of respect. Interment was made in the Bedford Cemetery.

"Dad" Burkett, as he was familiarly known, was of a jovial disposition, true as steel to his friends, loyal to the lodges he was a member of, a kind and generous father and a good husband; always ready to contribute of his means and lend a helping hand to any who were in distress. He will not only be missed from his home, but from the lodge room, where he served for many years as a trustee and chaplain, and by his many friends in general. M. C.

#### OLD SOUTH PENN

Four Track Road From Newville to Pittsburgh.

The following article, which revives hope that a railroad will be built on the old South Penn survey, appeared in the city papers on Wednesday:

"Carlisle, Pa., January 21.—Business and real estate circles in Carlisle have received underground information that the Pennsylvania Railroad now holds tentative plans, with possibility of fulfillment in the direction of four-tracking the Cumberland Valley Railroad, an allied branch of the Pennsylvania, from Harrisburg to Chambersburg, and the establishment of a junction point at Newville, a few miles west of Carlisle, from which a four-track road can be run straight west to Pittsburgh along the lines of the old South Penn survey, lopping off nearly 70 miles from the circuitous main line west between Harrisburg and Pittsburgh.

"If the plans as understood here are carried out, northern and eastern Pennsylvania shipments to the South and far West will be delivered to the Cumberland Valley, which is a natural eastern gateway to the South, down to a gulf port, whence transshipments will be made by water to the Panama Canal to the western coast, and the transcontinental railway traffic will be diverted West from the Newville junction point."

#### Mrs. Mary A. Imler

Mrs. Mary A. Imler, wife of Josiah Imler, deceased, died at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Pensyl, near Cessna, Wednesday morning. Funeral services will be held at Messiah Church Sunday at 2:30. Obituary next week.

#### Thomas J. Roney

Thomas J. Roney died at his home in Pittsburgh on Wednesday, January 15, aged 45 years. About 22 years ago he was married to Margaret Huzzard of this place, who, with one daughter and two sons, survives. Interment was made in Pittsburgh Saturday morning, January 18.

## MENTIONED IN BRIEF

Town Talk and Neighborhood Notes Tensely Told

### MANY ITEMS OF INTEREST

Gleaned From Various Sources Little Points Picked Up By Vigilant Reporters.

John W. Gailey is ill at his home on East Pitt Street.

Mrs. Fred C. Pate, who has been quite ill, is reported better.

Mrs. Albert Fyan entertained a number of friends at her home on Pitt Street Wednesday evening.

J. S. Nawgel has killed four hogs this fall which weighed 349, 416, 454 and 542 pounds respectively.

Mrs. Harry Davis of Cumberland Valley underwent a successful operation at the Allegheny Hospital, Cumberland, a few days ago and is getting along nicely.

The offices on the John P. Reed property, Juliana Street, are being remodeled. An entirely new front has been added to the building, containing large windows. It is a decided improvement.

Marriage licenses were issued in Cumberland this week to Howard Andrew Blair of Six Mile Run and Mildred Anderson of Robertsdale and Walter Scott Crawford and Minnie B. Clingerman, of Inglesmith.

Alvin Irvine, little son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Irvine, met with the misfortune on Wednesday of having a wheel of a water tank run over his shoulder. He fell from the tank under the wheel. The tank was empty.

Richard V. Leo returned Monday evening from St. Joseph's Hospital, Philadelphia, accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. Ella Gilchrist, who was with him during his stay at the hospital. Mr. Leo is getting along nicely.

On Tuesday County Treasurer and Mrs. John Fletcher took their little daughter Helen to Cumberland where she was operated upon by Dr. E. L. Jones for adenoids. She was brought home by her parents and is getting along nicely.

Dr. A. Enfield entertained some of his political friends at the Hotel Waverly at dinner last Sunday. The Blair County guests were Jacob Adams, Albert Shultz, David E. North and Simon Snyder. Three guests from this county were present.

We acknowledge with thanks a pass over the whole system of the John Leister Worsing Railway system. This system occupies a whole room in Huntingdon and John is the Owner

# ANNUAL REPORT

Of State Board of Education Requests

## MORE MONEY FOR SCHOOLS

Advisability of Changes in the School Code Discussed—Equalizing Educational Advantages.

The first annual report of the State Board of Education has been filed with the Governor by the Executive Secretary, J. George Becht. After enumerating the various lines of activity in which the Board's work lies, attention is directed, first, to the question of equalizing educational advantages throughout the state. The report says that the equalization of educational opportunity throughout the Commonwealth is a question calling for careful consideration. Increasingly the fact is being accepted by the general public that the education of the people is not a local matter, because its consequences are of state and national moment. An educated citizen is not of worth alone to the community in which he lives but his influence is state and nation wide. Equally the baneful effects of illiteracy and incompetency arising from lack of school training are not confined to the limits of the locality where opportunities are wanting, but show their significance over widely marked areas. The state has both a duty and a privilege. Its duty is to protect itself against illiteracy and incompetency, and its privilege is to offer aid that will help those who are in the process of training for efficient citizenship to realize the best that is in them. There are many districts in Pennsylvania where, owing to the topography of the country and to the remoteness of the inhabitants from each other, it is difficult to maintain proper schools with the amount of local taxation and of ordinary state appropriation. To make proper provision for these exceptional conditions a Special Aid Fund should be provided by the Legislature. Such a fund could be administered on the basis of actual needs as revealed by an investigation into the valuation, assessments, necessary expenditures and general financial conditions of such districts.

### More Money for Common Schools

To make the Pennsylvania School System fully effective it is absolutely essential that there should be a material addition to the general fund now appropriated for elementary and secondary education. In many places the rate of taxation is as high as the people can bear and the schools in these places are far from being as efficient as they ought to be. This is especially true of many rural communities which are being deserted by the farm owners, who move to the cities for better educational advantages for their children. This puts a heavy burden upon the tenant, who must practically furnish the support for the schools out of a limited and divided income from his labor. The readjustment of the apportionment of the state appropriation as provided by the Code will relieve the pressure at some points, but from a state-wide view there is great need for an increase in the general appropriation.

By the new method of appropriating the common school fund many of the districts have reported losses. These losses have generally come in the centers of wealth and population, as was expected. The more remote districts have been benefited, still the whole amount appropriated to the common schools is not proportionate to the wealth of the state. By an increase of the general appropriation, the total amount of the losses sustained by the cities and towns would be restored and at the same time the proportionate distribution to other sections of the state would aid greatly in making the schools more efficient. This Commonwealth can well afford to lift its biennial appropriation from \$15,000,000 to \$20,000,000 and thereby greatly add to the efficiency of our schools.

**Are Changes in the Code Advisable?**

The report says: "A careful survey of the whole field in which the Code operates shows criticism or suggestion of change on comparatively few points. It is more than probable that at these points conditions will so shape themselves that the law as it now stands will ultimately be satisfactory. It should be kept in mind that during the first year of the existence of the Code its administration was in the hands of newly elected boards, two-thirds of whose membership was made up of men who had had no previous experience in administering school affairs. In view of these considerations, it would seem fairly reasonable to assume that the path of wisdom lies in allowing a little longer period to elapse before the process of amendment should begin. To amend without reasonable certainty as to the effect of amendment and to be doubtful of proposed changes, would be to invite confusion. If all those who have a part in carrying out the provisions of the Code will bear in mind the central theme around which every section of it crystallizes, namely: the welfare of the children; and will interpret its provisions in terms of childhood's highest welfare, the minor objections now apparent will disappear and the results under the system will justify the highest expectations of the citizenship of the Commonwealth."

Mrs. Mary Jane Floyd Culler

At her late residence in Philadelphia Friday morning, January 3, 1913, passed away Mrs. Mary Jane Floyd Culler, wife of Rev. Martin L. Culler, D. D. She is survived by her bereaved husband and three sorrowing children and an only brother—Mrs. Pauline Lydia Wood, wife of Colonel W. S. Wood, U. S. A.; Miss Anna Nellie Culler, Capt. Robert Martin Culler, of the Medical Corps, U. S. A., and her only brother, Rev. David B. Floyd, D. D.

Mrs. Culler, favorably known to many citizens of Bedford by her residence here as a pastor's wife, was a native of Middletown, Md., and a daughter of the late Hezekiah and Lydia (Bittle) Floyd. Descended from a long line of Lutheran ancestry and given early to God in Christian baptism, she soon confessed her faith in Christ and gave her name and service to the church. She was environed by some of the best known ministers and educators in the church. Rev. David F. Bittle, D. D., first president of Roanoke College, Va., and Rev. Daniel H. Bittle, D. D., formerly president of North Carolina College, N. C., were her uncles, and Rev. Ezra Keller, D. D., first president of Wittenberg College, O., was her cousin, and Rev. Prof. Charles P. Krauth, D. D., LL. D., late professor in the University of Pennsylvania was her relative. And by her marriage to Rev. Martin L. Culler, D. D., she was called to move in a conspicuous sphere of life wherein she showed peculiar tact, prudence, patience and all the domestic virtues. For nearly half a century she was the joy of her husband's home and heart, helpful to him by her wise counsel and cheerful love in all the varied experiences of a pastor's wife.

Mrs. Culler was a woman of unusual consistency, deep piety and zealous devotion. In church life she found a cherished sphere for the development of her varied talents, and became a vitalized force wherever her lot was cast. She was ardent and intense by nature and her nervous energy made her a great leader in every forward movement in the line of literary, social and religious activity. Many people are yet living, who will note with sadness the passing away of this gifted woman, and who will unite in praise of her pure and consistent Christian life—never mentioning her name except with admiration for her high endowments and noble purposes. It was a great privilege to enjoy her friendship.

The funeral services were held at her home in Philadelphia, conducted by Rev. M. H. Valentine, D. D., editor of the Lutheran Observer. Her remains were conveyed to Mercersburg and there laid to rest in the beautiful God's acre, beside the grave of her little daughter, Vida Luther, to await the resurrection of the just.

D. B. F.

### TERRIBLE SORES

No Matter How Chronic, Ed. D. Heckerman Guarantees San Cura Ointment to Give Instant Relief and Permanent Cure.

"My daughter was troubled for over a year with a never sore on her leg, and was helpless in bed for three months. To the great surprise of all, including the four doctors who had attended her, San Cura Ointment healed the great sore in less than six weeks." J. D. Hood, Townville, Pa.

Kephart's Southern Highlander is continued with a chapter on the personal life of the People of the Hills, and Kirk Alexander continues his angling adventures on the North Shore of Lake Superior.

An interesting addition this month is the tale of the voyage of the brig "President" from New York to Teneriffe in the '20s. It is taken from the personal journals of Captain "Nat" Webber, an old clipper ship commander.

Besides there are a couple of ratting good outdoor stories and a number of more technical articles.

Outing Magazine. All newsstands, 25c Subscription, \$3.

## SURELY BANISHES CATARRH

Where there's catarrh there's thousands of catarrh germs. You can't get rid of catarrh unless you kill these germs.

You can't kill them with stomach medicine or sprays because they can't get where germs are.

You can kill these germs with Booth's HYOMEI, a penetrating, antiseptic, balsamic air that you breathe a few times a day directly over the raw, sore, germ infested membrane. It does not contain morphine or any habit forming drug.

For catarrh, croup, coughs, and colds. HYOMEI is sold on money back plan by F. W. Jordan, Jr. Complete outfit, \$1.00. Extra bottles of Booth's HYOMEI if afterwards needed, only 50 cents. Just breathe it—no stomach dosing.

### Feeding of Wild Birds

Winter, with all that it means, has come, parts of our state are already covered with snow, and all parts will, in all probability, soon be in the same condition. Bob White has run the gauntlet between long lines of enemies, and is now called upon to face the worst of all—starvation. He may be in good shape today, but soon the snows will have shortened his food-supply, reducing his vitality, so that when the cold rains begin he will not be disposed to venture out for the first twenty-four hours, even though his stomach be nearly empty, but will sit huddled with his friends in some point of shelter until the first day is past, and then on the second day, driven by hunger, he faces the storm, securing no more food perhaps than before the rain began; and then with every feather dripping, chilled to the bone, with an empty stomach, and still more greatly reduced vitality, he huddles with his little family, for the last time, to die, to freeze or to be smothered by the drifting snows. His entire pathway along life's journey is marked only by good deeds to men. Won't you, who may read this, try to help him in this his hour of distress and need? You are perhaps wasting every hour more than enough to keep Bob and his entire family in food the year around. I beg of you to hunt him up and scatter feed where he can get it. One bushel of grain placed where he can find it means more to him now than does all the kind words that may be uttered in century. Put yourself on Bob's place and think of what winter means to him.

What applies to the quail, may also be said of the wild turkey, and all our winter birds. I beg of you, no matter what your position in life may be, to help feed the birds. If you can not do the work yourself, get some one to do it for you. Write to the Game Commission, Harrisburg, Pa., for bulletin No. 2.

Respectfully yours,  
Joseph Kalbfus,  
Secretary, Game Commission.

## CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

### The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

### The February Outing

The Conquest of Mt. McKinley, highest of American peaks, begins in this issue. The story is told by Belmore Browne, the explorer and artist, who has accompanied Prof. Parker on all his expeditions.

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### Training Canaries in Death Chamber

Training canary birds to sing in the electric death chamber of the Ohio penitentiary at Columbus, is the unique life work of John Atkinson, a murderer serving a life sentence who, being a "trusty," has the privilege of spending some of his time there. In the room in which more than four score condemned men have paid the penalty for their crimes, he breeds the little yellow singers. When the birds are at the proper age, he first teaches them to fly—first from one arm of the electric chair to another, and then from the death chair to the old gallows above, in another part of the room. A picture in the February Popular Mechanics Magazine shows the convict working with the birds.

"I have been somewhat costive, but Doan's Regulets give just the results I desire. They act mildly and regulate the bowels perfectly."—Geo. Hayes of Philadelphia and caused his death.

### Complexion Soap

If you want a lovely complexion, with soft, velvety skin, free from pimples and blackheads, use San Cura Soap, the great antiseptic and skin purifier. 25 cents a large cake at Ed. D. Heckerman's.

Mail orders for San Cura Ointment and Soap filled by Thompson Medical Co., Titusville, Pa.

Advertisement.

Piece of Bone in His Heart

A particle of bone from a kneecap fractured while playing baseball worked its way through his system to the heart of fifteen-year-old George Hayes of Philadelphia and caused his death.

### HECKERMAN LETTER

P-Nut Salesman Encounters Flood on Southwestern Trip.  
Parkersburg, W. Va., Jan. 20.

River history is interesting and doubly so when one sees the waters as they roll by, carrying everything before them. Ruin history has been largely connected with the history of our country.

This city of Parkersburg has always been a very important point on the Ohio River, which is very interesting, especially at this time when the water is so high that many families are driven from homes, whilst many more are imprisoned in the upper stories of their homes without fire and only with what food the city sends them by boats. Parkersburg has always been a principal point along the river even from the time Blennerhasset Island was first occupied by General Blennerhasset and after Aaron Burr made his debut on the scene and got Blennerhasset into trouble with his fantasy of establishing an empire in the Southwest. Of later years this city has grown rapidly because of its commercial interests and the building of boats.

The Ohio was first discovered in the 1600's and the first it was reached by the explorers was at Pittsburgh, Pa., then named Fort Pitt. The first steamboat to arrive in Parkersburg was one called New Orleans in 1811. I can find no record of the time when the first boat was built here, but the records show that in the year 1801 the first sea-going vessel ever built on the Ohio was launched at Pittsburgh. It was called the Amity. Of one hundred and twenty tons, it sailed with a cargo of horse shoes and nails for the West Indies and was wrecked in a storm in 1847. The following year a number of schooners were built and launched at Pittsburgh and sailed for eastern ports. We are told that a number of vessels were also built that year at Wheeling.

There are seven large rivers in West Virginia. The highest mark recorded at Parkersburg was in February 1884 when a stage of 52 feet nine inches was reached.

With the river stationary this morning at a 44 foot point, conditions are about the same today as yesterday. The only trains are those going east over the B. & O. The Ohio River roads have run no trains for a week and there are no prospects of any for some days yet. The superintendent of the road told me last evening that there was no certainty as to when they would get the line running between this and Kenova, that he did not think the roadbed was damaged much as there had been but little wind and it was the wind that made the waves which washes the ballast from the ties and causes the underpinning of the trestles which they could not determine about until the water had receded.

Thirty families made application this morning for relief, while seventy people are being housed on the third floor of the city building and the county is furnishing provisions for them. A cook stove has been supplied and the people all cook for themselves on it. Let me tell you it is a motley throng.

It is a good thing that the cost of living is not so high here as in Bedford. Fine looking apples are ten cents per peck and the same for potatoes. In Bedford apples are twice that price and so are potatoes. Good butter here is worth 35 cents per pound, whilst eggs are 25 cents per dozen.

Men and stout boys last Saturday and Sunday were paid as much as 75 cents per hour for work in moving goods from stores and furniture from homes to places of safety. Hundreds of skiffs have been out all the time since last Saturday, and the owners living along the river banks made good money carrying persons to and from the end of Julian Street to the bridge and also in taking parties around through the principal part of the flooded district to see the sights.

L. H. Hobert of Elizabeth, in Wirt County, W. Va., arrived here this morning in a little gasoline boat for the mail for Elizabeth. They have not had any since last Wednesday. The river has been too high for any

### HOW OLD ARE YOU BY YOUR HAIR

You may be 30 in years, but if you are baldheaded or gray, people will surely take you to be many years older.

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Adv.

of the boats of size to run and traffic has been suspended on the Kanawha Railroad since the above date. Mr. Holbert after loading his boat with mail started back to Elizabeth at noon. The telephones are all in trouble and this fact has kept Dad from spending several quarters.

I hear that the water was up to the second story of the home of my old friend, James Gilchrist, at Marietta, O. I have seen plenty of the flood and only fear that it will follow me all the way down the river to Cincinnati and then still on down to the Mississippi in Tennessee and Arkansas.

Today is like April at home. The river is falling but so slowly that one must have a critic's eye to see it. They talk about its falling two-thirds of an inch in an hour, etc. Each and everyone dreads the flood. All fear sickness after the water leaves the streets and say that a flood like this always leaves a drag in shape of malaria for months after the river recedes and is within its banks.

Very interesting service was held in the First Presbyterian Church of Parkersburg last Sunday evening. It was in the nature of a reception tendered to the 78 men members who have recently been received into the church.

Please send me the paper and oblige. Yours truly,  
M. P. Heckerman.

### WORDS FROM HOME

Statements That May Be Investigated—Testimony of Bedford Citizens.

When a Bedford citizen comes to the front, telling his friends and neighbors of his experience, you can rely on his sincerity. The statements of people residing in far away places do not command your confidence. Home endorsement is the kind that backs Doan's Kidney Pills. Such testimony is convincing. Investigation proves it true. Below is a statement of a Bedford resident. No stronger proof of merit can be had.

Mrs. D. O. Smith, 234 W. Pitt St., Bedford, Pa., says: "I willingly confirm all I said in praise of Doan's Kidney Pills, when I publicly recommended them some years ago. They brought prompt and permanent relief to one of my family who suffered from kidney trouble. I consider Doan's Kidney Pills worthy of the strongest endorsement."

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### What—Where—When—Why

Now to practical matters. You need not worry about your trousseau. I have pretended for so long that you are my own daughter that I am having the time of my life getting together the things you will need. Of course your mother will want to do some of it, and you, yourself, will want a hand in making the dainty things that will go with you into your new life as the belongings of your girlhood. I don't mean to be selfish about it or to grasp at all the pleasure of shopping and planning and providing. I only meant that as money is none too plentiful at home and the others must have their share and their chance in life—I am giving myself the great pleasure of helping your mother to provide you with what is proper for your new position in life.—The Ladies' World for February.

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Discussing a customs difficulty, Collector Loeb said in New York:

"If ours weren't such a big and important country, I suppose some tourists would treat us as the Yankee automobilists treated Montenegro.

"This automobilist, after a wrangle with the customs officers on the Montenegro frontier, shouted:

"Here, shut up the trunks! Put 'em back on the car again! I'll not go through you at all! You're no country. You're only a spot. I don't mind losing ten or twelve minutes, and so I'll go round you." —Washington Star.

# Disinherited

By HELOISE BRAYTON

When Tom Pickering was first married it didn't seem to him that he would ever care to spend an evening anywhere except with his dear wife, in their cozy little home, and for the first fortnight he went nowhere in the evening, unless he took her with him.

During the second month some of his premarital cronies were having a little poker party and telephoned him to join them. He did so.

That was Pickering's first relapse, but not his last. Indeed, he had a great many of them—so many that he found it difficult to find excuses for them. Mrs. Pickering was a dear little woman and a very sensible one. She argued that if she found fault with her husband for leaving her alone, nights while he enjoyed the pleasures of bachelorhood there would arise a series of altercations which would render his home unpleasant to him and he would stay away altogether.

Now was this the worst of it. A man hobnobbing with men must spend money. He can't avoid it; it's a game of billiards, a cigar, an evening at the theater. This all makes a considerable total. The consequence was that when his wife felt like enjoying an evening where she might listen to music, of which she was very fond, the husband's expenditures had so reduced the exchequer that there were no funds for the purpose.

This wasn't right. Pickering knew it wasn't right, but found himself unable to break away from his associations. He said the only way to do that was to leave the place where they lived and go to some other. But when his wife asked him how he was going to get a position in some other place he had no answer. He looked sober, and that ended the conversation.

So Mrs. Pickering fell into the habit of enduring without complaint.

One night when Pickering had gone out there came a ring at the telephone. Mrs. Pickering answered the call and learned that her husband's aunt was very ill and Tom was to come around immediately. The aunt, a maiden lady of sixty and in chronic bad health, was very fond of her nephew, and it was expected that she would make him her heir. Mrs. Pickering held a lengthy conversation with her informant, the old lady's housekeeper, with a view to taking steps to find the missing man. But it led to nothing, and Mrs. Pickering concluded to go to the sick woman herself.

She found the invalid suffering great pain. A physician was present and the house was in a hubbub. The old lady was sure she was going to die and had sent for her lawyer to add a codicil to her will covering some small bequests she wished to make. Seeing her niece, she called her to her bed and told her to go to the telephone and not cease her calls till she had located Tom. He was the only relative she had in the world and she must have him with her when dying.

Since Tom Pickering was attending a show frequented only by men—no one knew where—his wife was unable to reach him. She gave it up and announced the fact to his aunt.

The old lady meanwhile had got a temporary relief and was in fine condition to be angry with the man she wanted and couldn't get. She began a fire of questions at his wife as to his habits which the poor woman tried in vain to parry. The old lady was very sharp and drew out the fact, in spite of Mrs. Pickering's efforts to conceal it, that Tom was away most of the time nights, spending it with his men cronies.

"And what do you do?" asked the sick woman.

"Oh, I am a great home body. I don't mind staying alone."

"H'm!" The old lady thought a few moments, then asked that the attorney be sent to her. When he came she directed him to draw a will for her to sign leaving all her property to Mary Ellen Pickering. The young wife was present and heard the order.

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## USE OF WHO OR WHOM.

Where Grammar Bunks Up Against Idiom and Gets a Jolt. The employment of the nominative "who" for the accusative in certain forms of interrogation has become so imbedded in common usage that resort, even now, to the strictly orthodox practice frequently requires, on the part of educated men, positive effort or prolonged training. It somehow does not seem natural. In the past assuredly this nominative form, where precise grammar would require the accusative, turns up with almost invariable regularity in works which set out to represent colloquial speech.

"Who is it from?" says the mother in Jane Austen's "Pride and Prejudice," to her daughter, who has just received a letter. "Who is it like?" says the heroine of "Jane Eyre" to St. John Rivers as she shows him the picture of Rosamund Oliver. Such examples could be multiplied by hundreds. There are cases, indeed, when the use of "whom" would strike upon the ears of most of us as painfully pedantic.

"Who the devil is he talking to?" says Sir Lucius O'Trigger in Sheridan's "Rivals," as he notices Captain Absolute soliloquizing. To tolerate "whom" in place of "who" in such a sentence as the last would require the speaker to be so thoroughly steeped in grammar that the sense of traditional usage, which has been hardening into idiom, has at last been completely overcome. That height of linguistic virtue few of us there are who attain.—Thomas R. Lounsbury in Harper's Magazine.

## FURY OF A SPIDER.

An Insect Tragedy as Seen Through a Magnifying Glass.

One day, rummaging in an old desk, I found a magnifying glass. It was September, and in a sunny, weed rid den corner of the garden I had discovered a big black and gold spider who had strung her web between two tall burdock and was doing a thriving business in grasshoppers.

Seated on the ground, I now surveyed her through the glass for an hour as she hung in the middle of her engine of destruction. When I touched the net with my finger she swung frantically and fro, prompted doubtless by some instinct of self preservation, but otherwise was as motionless as if carved in jet.

Grasshoppers were not very plentiful as yet, but at last a large green fellow flew plump into the toils. The spines on his legs that had so often disengaged sweet music becoming entangled. Instantly the crafty spider was all alive. Darting upon her victim, she took her station above him, and, hanging by two legs, seized him in her other six and rolled him round and round, unswathing him in a band of silver silk until he was as helpless as a mummy, and then she bit him in a dozen places with fangs oozing with poison.

At the spectacle of her evil eyes glittering with the lust of killing, magnified as they were by the glass, I turned sick and rolled over on my face among the weeds and lay for a long time miserably inert.—Atlantic Monthly

## Strange Freak of Memory.

There is a strange story of how Sir Walter Scott, producing "The Bride of Lammermoor" during illness, was afterward found to have forgotten entirely what he had thus created. According to James Ballantyne, "the book was written and published before Mr. Scott was able to rise from his bed, and he assured me when it was first put into his hands in a complete shape that he did not recollect a single incident, character or conversation it contained. The original incidents of the story, which he had known from boyhood, he still remembered, but he knew no more about the story he had written than he did before he began to write or even think about writing it." These facts were corroborated by Mr. Lockhart, Sir Walter Scott's son-in-law and biographer, so that they are placed beyond question.

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## Some Big Numbers.

If you fill a tiny vessel one centimeter cube with hydrogen corpuscles you can place therein, in round numbers five hundred and twenty-five octillion of them. If these corpuscles are allowed to run out of the vessel at the rate of 1,000 per second it will require seventeen quintillions of years to empty it.

## One of the Ways.

"Who was that seedy individual I saw you give a dollar to?"

"An old literary friend of mine; author of 'Ten Thousand Ways of Making Money.'"

## Mind and Matter.

Teacher—Is there any connection between mind and matter? Small Boy—Yes; if a boy doesn't mind there'll be something the matter.—Chicago News.

Men are born to succeed, not to fail.—Thoreau

# For the Hair

Are you so fortunate as to be well satisfied with your hair? Is it long enough, thick enough, rich enough? And your hair does not fall out? Well, well, that is good. But you may know of some not so fortunate. Then just tell them about Ayer's Hair Vigor. They will surely thank you after using it, if not before. Remember, it does not color the hair. Show the list of ingredients to your doctor. Let him decide their value. He knows.

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## Dangerous Place

Mammy Lou was visiting Lucindy. The latter lifted a boiling pot of the stove, set it in the fireless cooker, covered it closely, and pushed it under the table.

"What's yuh again' t' do wid dat pot?"

"I'se a-goin' to cook dem beans in de fireless cooker."

Mammy rose, a scared, hunted look on her wrinkled face. "Does yuh mean t' tell me yuh a-goin' t' bile dem beans without fish?"

Lucindy nodded. Mammy backed to the door and looked at the girl as at an apparition, then with defiance mingled with fear commanded: "Put on your bonnet! You sure is hoodooed! You ain't goin' t' live in no house where the devil does de cookin'!"—Judge.

## Great Scheme

It was raining very heavily in Berlin, so a wealthy merchant, on leaving the exchange, hailed a cab and asked to be driven to a distant part of the city. On the way the merchant discovered that he had forgotten to put his purse in his pocket. What was to be done? On reaching his destination he got out of the cab and said to the driver:

"Will you please give me a match? I have dropped a sovereign on the floor of the cab."

Instantly the cabman whipped up his horse and soon disappeared around the next corner.—Weekly Telegraph.

## Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

No Gifts on Exhibition

Jimmie had been a naughty boy, we presume, so that there is a note of pathos with the humor of the conversation he conducted with the little girl next door on the day after his sixth birthday, says the Cleveland Plain Dealer.

"Show me what you got for your birthday, Jimmie," begged the little girl.

"I won't do it," said Jimmie.

"Oh, please. Ain't I nice to you?"

"Yep. You're all right."

"Then show me what you got."

"I daresn't—honest. Marg'ret, I dare not!"

Investigation revealed that the poor kid had received nothing but a spanking.

## Slight Misunderstanding

A man who lisped had bought some pigs, and he asked a neighbor for the use of a pen a few days.

"I have juth been purchathng thome thwine—two thowth and pigs. I want to put them in your pen till I can fith plath for them."

"Two thousand pigs!" exclaimed the astonished neighbor. "Why, my pen will hardly hold a dozen."

"You don't understand me, Mithter Bent. I don't thay two thousand plith, but two thowth and pigh!"

"I heard you," said Mr. Bent. "Two thousand pigs! Why, you must be crazy!" And then the lisper gave it up.—The Country Gentleman.

Any skin itching is a temper tester. The more you scratch the worse it itches. Doan's Ointment is for piles, eczema—any skin itching. 50c at all drug stores.

## In God We Trust" OFF NICKEL

Secretary of the Treasury MacVeagh has approved the design of a new five-cent piece by J. E. Frazier of New York.

It will be plainly severe, bearing the word "Liberty" and the date of coinage on one side, instead of a female Liberty head.

The words "Five Cents" will appear instead of the laurel wreath and letter "V," as at present. The coin will bear the words "E Pluribus Unum," but not the motto "In God We Trust."

Scenes of interest at the front in the Balkan war are shown in a number of illustrations appearing in the February Popular Mechanics Magazine.

Men are born to succeed, not to fail.—Thoreau

## JULIET'S BALCONY.

It Looks Just as It Did When Romeo Wooed the Sweet Veronese.

This was the home of the Capulets, from whom descended Juliet, for whom so many kind hearts have wept and of whom the poets have sung.

You read the words on a tablet by the side of a tall and slender gray house in a quiet street of Verona. A few steps farther on the busy life of the old city is centered in the market place and in the one or two streets that lead from it. You stand in front of the lightly built dwelling, and you look at the slim balcony of wood from which bent forward the form of the radiant girl whose undying love story has echoed down the ages. It is an autumn day, and within the rail of the narrow framework some one has placed red flowers in tall green pots. A curtain at the little window moves in the breeze, and you expect at any moment to see the dainty form of Juliet appear and to hear a rippling laugh fall from her lips.

A woman steps from the room beyond, through the open window and stands to listen. She has a child in her arms, and he claps his hands, laughing and crowing, no doubt just as the beloved Veronese did centuries ago. The mother hushes him, for she is intently listening to the market cries in the midst of that everyday life walks the immortal Juliet.—London Telegraph

## POWER OF THE SUN.

If Man Could Only Utilize It in a Perfect Heat Engine.

The heat of the sun that would be received on one square acre of the earth's surface at right angles to the rays of the sun, if the sky was clear and all other conditions favorable, would, if man could utilize all in a perfect heat engine, exert the power of 12,000 horses. But this figure is not of mathematical accuracy owing to the discrepancy of results among different researchers in many parts of the world, on plains at sea level, higher, and on tops of the highest mountains to which scientific instruments could be carried.

And this great force has been at work during millions of years in forming the world for the abode of coming man. Winds, tides, rains, chemical activity, coal, wood, oil—these and more are all due to this vast power of the sun.

A "horsepower" (how much longer will this word be used, when kilowatt is so much better?) is a force that can lift a weight of 33,000 pounds through a height of one foot in one minute. Thus the solar power reaching the deck of a slow going steamer, if all made available by the genius of man, could run the engines at a reasonable and comparatively safe rate.—Edgar Lucien Larkin in New York American

## Satellites of Saturn.

Photometric studies of six of the principal satellites of Saturn, made by Gutzwiller of the royal observatory of Berlin, indicate a confirmation of the previous conclusions of other observers that several, and perhaps all, of these satellites behave like our own moon in keeping always the same side toward the planet around which they revolve. In regard to the satellite named Tethys, an interesting hypothesis is offered to account for its very marked changes of luminosity. The theory is that Tethys possesses the form of a long ellipsoid, the two principal axes of which are to one another in the ratio of five to two. A similar suggestion has been made concerning the shape of the asteroid Eros, which likewise exhibits great variations of light, according to its position in its orbit around the sun.—Harper's

Keep the Armholes Down.

It is strange that not one person in a thousand knows how to help a man on with his coat or a lady with her jacket. They all make the mistake of holding the garment too high, especially the last sleeve. They lift it so that a man nearly dislocates his arm reaching for it. The more futilely he grasps and claws and lurches for it the higher they hold it until the wretched victim would have to get on a pair of stilts to find the armhole. The proper way? Why, hold the coat so that the armholes are as low down as the man's waist, taking care to keep the skirt of the garment off the floor, of course. If there is any struggle to find the last armhole, drop it still lower. Never raise it. Drop it until his hand slips into it naturally.

## Emily Bronte.

G. K. Chesterton has added his meed of praise to Emily Bronte, the woman writer, who of all others has perhaps won most unstinted praise from men.

A splendid creature! Chesterton calls the author of "Wuthering Heights," and the book itself, he finds likewise splendid. "But there is nothing human about it. It might have been written by an eagle."

## A Perfect Defense.

"Sam, dear," asked Mrs. Prouty, who had been away from home the greater part of July and August, "what is the matter with the garden?"

"I don't know," answered Sam humbly. "I haven't done anything to it." Youth's Companion.

## Spunky Retort.

Mrs. Peck-Henry, why did you feign sleep last night when I was telling to you? Henry—My dear, I did not feign sleep, though I was asleep.—Judge.

## The Easiest Task.

Probably the easiest task is for a poor man to tell what a rich man should do with his money.—Atchison Globe.

## In the true life of the individual on day is the beginning of the new year.

Judson

## WHEN A MAN'S SICK.

That's the Time a Woman Does the Boss Act to Perfection.

When a woman has charge of a sick man she feels as important as the marshal of the day at a country Fourth of July celebration, and however amiable she may be at other times she is very "bossy" when she has medicine to give a man or lot

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## JANUARY COURT

(Continued From First Page.)

Estate of Emma J. Hutton, a lunatic, petition of Ed. D. Heckerman, Committee for waiving the filing of an account, granted.

Estate of Olive Koontz, late of Bedford Township, order of sale of real estate for payment of debts granted.

Estate of A. J. Zeth, late of Hopewell, order of sale of real estate continued.

Estate of Jonah J. Reed, late of Liberty, motion to continue order of sale granted.

Estate of Henrietta Klotz, late of South Woodbury, appointment of Charles R. Mock, Esq., auditor, continued.

Nellie L. Fetter vs. Frank E. Fetter, alias subpoena in divorce awarded.

Estate of John Hafer, late of Bedford, deceased, bond of T. M. Gephart, trustee, filed and approved; same estate, return of sale filed and to be confirmed absolutely unless exceptions are filed on or before January 29.

Estate of Mollie Hisong, late of Bedford Township, petition of executor to take off confirmation filed and leave granted.

Estate of Adam H. Imler, late of King Township, return of sale filed and confirmed nisi: same estate, bond of executor and trustee filed and approved.

Commonwealth vs. Harry R. Stambaugh, petition of defendant for discharge under the insolvent laws filed and April 22, 1913, fixed as the time for hearing said application.

On petition S. S. Nave appointed supervisor of Cumberland Valley Township to fill vacancy caused by the resignation of G. M. Sliger.

T. M. Mervine vs. Lillie W. Hibbs, answer of plaintiff filed.

Estate of John Harry McFarland, late of West Providence, American Bonding Company appointed guardian of Lena and Floyd McFarland, minor children of said decedent, and directed to give bond in the sum of \$525.32.

On petition Charles Ross Winegardner accepted by Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Feather.

On petition Arthur Rorar adopted by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rorar.

Commonwealth vs. H. H. Bridenstein motion to continue case granted.

Estate of Mary Moore, late of East St. Clair, exceptions filed to account of W. S. Holderbaum, guardian of Marie Moore, minor child.

Estate of Joseph Holler, late of Juniata, return of sale filed and confirmed.

Estate of Jacob B. Williams, late of Everett, order of sale continued.

Estate of George H. Dauler, late of Bedford Township, rule granted on executor to show cause why he should not file an account.

Estate of Sarah Fetter, late of Bedford Township, return to writ of partition filed and rule granted on neurs to appear at Argument Court and elect to take or refuse to take land appraised.

Estate of James Jay, late of Mann, bond of executor and trustee filed and approved; same estate, motion to continue order of sale filed.

Estate of Philip Hoover, late of Napier Township, return of sale filed and approved.

H. W. Snyder vs. S. M. Williams et al., motion for judgment on the return of two nihilis granted.

Estate of John Wakefoose, late of Bedford, bond of guardian of minor children approved and order of private sale granted.

John Henry Edwards vs. Alice L. Edwards, in divorce, Samuel Ake, Esq., appointed master.

Assigned estate of A. H. Collins of Monroe, appointment of Alvin L. Little, Esq., as auditor, continued.

Estate of John T. Shaffer, late of Everett, appointment of E. M. Penwell, Esq., as auditor continued.

Assigned estate of J. W. Henry Larimer Company, order of sale continued.

Estate of Mary Ann Corle and Jacob Corle, Jr., late of Union, return of sale filed and confirmed.

Ada M. Davis vs. William Davis, in divorce, report of John N. Minchin,

Esq., master, filed and decree entered granting divorce.

Commonwealth Cases  
Commonwealth vs. George Mock, charge, incorrigibility; prosecutor, T. R. Norris; after hearing defendant discharged on parole, and directed to report to Hon. J. W. Huff designated as probation officer.

Commonwealth vs. Elvin Emigh, charge, carrying concealed deadly weapons; prosecutor, John W. Burkett; case settled, and not pros. entered.

Commonwealth vs. Joseph L. Montgomery, charge, assault and battery; prosecutor, Elmer E. Corle; defendant plead guilty and sentenced to pay costs before next session of court or be confined in county jail for thirty days.

Commonwealth vs. A. J. Smith, charge, carrying concealed deadly weapons; prosecutor, George Decker; defendant plead guilty and sentenced to pay costs of prosecution, a fine of \$5 and be confined in the county jail for a period of sixty days.

Commonwealth vs. Matthew Buckley, charge, surety of the peace; prosecutor, James Lowe; case settled and not pros. allowed.

Commonwealth vs. James Williams, charge, f. and b.; prosecutrix, Mary E. Rogers; defendant plead guilty and received the usual sentence.

Commonwealth vs. A. C. Richards, John H. Crissman and E. G. Kimball, supervisors of Napier Township, charge, neglect and refusing to repair public road; prosecutor, W. C. Keyser; defendants found guilty and sentenced to pay costs of prosecution, the balance of sentence being suspended.

Commonwealth vs. Levi Kagarise; charge, f. and b.; prosecutrix, Ada M. Croft; not a true bill found and county directed to pay costs of prosecution.

Commonwealth vs. Sandy Moses and Jake Moses, charge, assault and battery, prosecutor, Harry Crash; defendants plead guilty and sentenced to jointly pay the costs of prosecution.

Commonwealth vs. Jennings May and Carl May, charge, malicious mischief; prosecutor, William P. Donelson; defendants found not guilty and costs of prosecution divided between prosecutor and defendant.

Commonwealth vs. Edward Perdew, charge, wife desertion; after hearing defendant sentenced to pay costs of prosecution and pay his wife \$2 per week.

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### Claysburg Bank Elections

The annual meeting of the shareholders of The First National Bank of Claysburg was held January 14, and the following Directors were elected for the coming year: P. N. Risser, Bedford; Charles W. Shaffer and John H. Zinn, Osterburg; B. F. Dively and J. E. Knipple, Queen;

Dr. C. O. Johnston, Calvin Walter, Hugh Walter, Z. T. Lingenfelter and Thomas Walter, of Claysburg.

The Directors elected the following officers on Monday, January 20: President, Charles O. Johnston; Vice President, Hugh Walter; Second Vice President, John H. Zinn; Cashier, P. N. Risser.

This bank opened for business July 24, 1912, and with the opening of the new year had resources of \$105,000. Its capital is \$25,000 and surplus and profits over \$4,000. The growth of this bank has been rapid, which speaks well for Cashier Risser, who is a resident of Bedford.

### Officers Elected

At the annual meeting of the shareholders of the Bedford Electric Light Heat and Power Company on Tuesday the following directors were elected for the ensuing year: Frank Fletcher, Esq., Jo. W. Tate, Ed. D. Heckerman, A. B. Egolf, L. D. Blackwelder, Patrick Hughes and S. A. Van Ormer.

After the annual meeting the Board of Directors organized by electing the old officers as follows: President, Frank Fletcher; Vice President, Jo. W. Tate; Treasurer, A. B. Egolf; Secretary, S. A. Van Ormer.

The reports show the business of the company to be growing and important.

## PERSONAL NOTES

Arrivals and Departures of Residents and Visitors.

## IN THE SOCIAL WORLD

The Column Everybody Reads—Chas About Your Friends and Neighbors—Here and There.

Mr. O. S. Corle of Fishertown spent some time in town this week.

Mr. Warren A. Snyder left this week to accept a position at Queson.

Miss Margaret Metzger was the guest this week of Mrs. C. L. Bretz in Cumberland.

Miss Lottie M. Bridaham is spending a couple weeks with friends in Tyrone and Youngwood.

Messrs. W. S. Holderbaum and William Stultz, of New Paris, were business visitors here yesterday.

Train Dispatcher W. R. Piper is visiting his mother and sister in Illinois.

Charles L. Imler, Esq., of Imler attended to legal business in town yesterday.

Mr. J. B. Cessna of Rainsburg spent a day in town this week on business.

Mr. James Beegle of Pittsburgh is a guest at the home of Mr. Charles D. Beegle, North Thomas Street.

Miss Lucy Stiver of Everett was a guest this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Stiver, South Richard Street.

Mr. John Fitch of Marmouth Junction, N. J., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Susan Milburn, of South Juliana Street.

Messrs. Lee F. Hoffman, Manager of Hoffman Garage, and Philip Hughes are attending the Philadelphia auto show this week.

Messrs. W. E. Berkheimer of King and Howard Bloom of Bedford Township were pleasant callers at our office yesterday.

Messrs. Joseph Knisely of Pleasantville and M. E. Kensinger of Saxton were Bedford visitors on Tuesday.

Postmaster H. L. Hull of Springhope and Mr. S. G. Bollman of Snake Spring transacted business here on Wednesday.

Mrs. E. J. Engel of Wesleyville and Miss Ella Crouse of Cumberland are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Crouse, of West Penn Street.

Mrs. S. J. Mattingly and daughter, Miss Frances, attended the funeral of the former's brother, William Donahoe, in Cumberland on Wednesday.

Mr. Richard Willoughby, ticket seller for the P. R. R., at Union Depot, Pittsburgh, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Willoughby.

On Monday Messrs. V. G. Price of Colerain, F. J. Zimmers of Bedford Township, H. C. Nycum of Chapman's Run and J. A. Benner of Saxon were callers at our office.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis B. Evans and little son, who had been called here on account of the illness of Mrs. Evans' father, Mr. Henry Weber of near here, returned to their home in Altoona last Sunday.

Messrs. W. W. Henderson, District Commercial Superintendent; J. K. Martin, District Plant Superintendent, and G. A. Geddes, District Traffic Superintendent of the C. D. and P. Telephone Company, Pittsburgh, were in Bedford several days this week.

Mr. J. Schell Ridenour, an employee of the firm of Lord and Thomas, advertising agents, Chicago, having taken care of the New York City automobile show, came to Bedford this week and spent a couple days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ridenour.

Among our visitors the latter part of last week were Messrs. George W. Hoover of New Paris, D. M. Beegle of Rainsburg, J. A. Holderbaum of near Cessna, George A. Dull of Point, Misses Myrtle Heitzel and Ruth Naugle, of near Cessna, and Mr. C. S. Harclerode of Imbertown.

Among those from a distance who attended the funeral of John Burkett on Wednesday were Benjamin Lowery, William Lowery, George Mason and John Madden, of Cook's Mills; Mrs. Theodore Miller; Wilson Sharp, Simon Burkett and Truman Knipple, of Hyndman; Rev. W. H. Mowery and wife and Mrs. Bertha Waughman, of Buffalo Mills; Mr. and Mrs. George Dobson and son Rush, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dobson, of Stoystown; Mrs. Elizabeth Hoover, Mrs. Frank Cuppett, Mrs. John Dagadas, and William Mergler, of Johnstown; Chief of Police Watson McMullin and wife and Lemon Dobson, of Windber; Samuel F. Miller of Mann's Choice, Mr. and Mrs. George Kimball, of Point; Mrs. Margaret Prince of Washington, D. C.; Mr. and Mrs. Willard Burkett, of Altoona; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Burkett and Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Burkett, of Steckman, and Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Burkett, of Cumberland.

A fine baby boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Avery Hinson one day last week.

J. B. Findley and son Edgar and J. H. Crissman of near Helixville made a flying trip to Somerset since our last letter.

Ross Miller and wife, of Wilt, spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Findley Oldham, of New Paris.

Miss Ethel Cuppett of New Paris

## Do You Know?

That the Charter of the Loyal Order of Moose is now open? The admission fee is \$5.00 for a short period, and after it closes the fee will be \$25.00.

Do you know that the Moose is the 20th century order of the day, and that Bedford Lodge has now close to 300 members,

and before the Charter closes the membership will reach 600? This is your opportunity to join this organization at the reduced rate. If you are a man of good moral character and between the ages of 21 and 55 years, Bedford Lodge tenders you an invitation to join a strong clean, wide-awake social and beneficial organization.



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## BEDFORD PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Report for the Fourth Month of the Present Term,

## Honor Roll

**High School**—J. M. Garbrick, F. G. Horner and Elizabeth Dorwart, teachers.

**Catherine Snell**, Mildred Hershberger, Gillum Heltzel, Alice Colvin.

**Ninth Grade**—Nell M. Filler, teacher.

Lillian Strock, Zeta Cessna, Kathleen McLaughlin, William Smith.

**Eighth Grade**—Edna H. Fulton, teacher.

Helen Smith, Margaret Pepple, Ruth Gibson, Elsie Ernest, Vera Fletcher, Irene Cuppett, Miriam McLaughlin, Colvin Wright.

**Seventh Grade**—Margaret Lessig, teacher.

Clara Fisher, Ruth Steiner, Alice Blackburn, Elizabeth Thompson, Alma Piper, Maude Girven, Ruth Reed, Dorothy Allen, Alma Oppenheimer, Nellie Diehl.

**Sixth Grade**—Ada Hunt, teacher. Sara Long, Helen Corby, Louise Strock, Helen McLaughlin, Beatrice Taylor, Ernestine Will, Bertram Smith, Richard Feight, Frank Guyer, Harold Corle.

**Fifth Grade**—Jessie Hoover, teacher.

Austin Wright, Margaret Bortz, Helen Billman, Marian Davidson, Helen Enfield, Margaret Naus, Mary Cartwright.

**Fourth Grade**—Mary Donahoe, teacher.

Mary Miller, Margaret Miller, Mary Gibson.

**Third Grade**—Charlotte Jones, teacher.

Ralph Weith, Anna England, Mary Fisher, Fred Billman, Harry Brightbill.

**Second Grade**—Anna Knight, teacher.

Josephine Corle, Elizabeth Griffith, Ursula Heiple, Naomi Imier, Raymond Moore, Lycurgus Long, Hazel Mantler, Martha Mervine, Corle McLaughlin, Charles Smith, Floyd Souzer.

**First Grade**—Lizzie Bain, teacher.

Bessie Marie Davidson, Grace Miller, Francis McLaughlin, Albert Britt, John Blackwelder, Helen Pletcher, Nellie Wagner, Oscar Davis, Almina Cessna, Alda Bagley.

## Revival Services Progressing

Seldom, if ever before, have the people of this community had the privilege of enjoying and taking part in evangelistic services such as are being conducted in the Methodist Episcopal Church of this place. For three weeks they have been in progress, and it might be possible to continue them yet another week, but it is expected the meetings will close Sunday night.

The attendance has been large, the singing the very best, and the Gospel preached in such a plain, simple manner, that many accept and have come out on the side with God. All in all it has been a wonderful blessing to the community.

As stated last week, those who have not taken advantage of the opportunity to hear Rev. Parsons, and to listen to the singing under the direction of Prof. Clark, should do so tonight or on Sunday. These men are here for no other purpose than to bring the Gospel to the community, and all are most cordially invited to the meetings.

Wednesday night was of unusual interest to those who were in attendance. A number of seekers, both young and old, were forward, and the sermon by Rev. Parsons was one of vast importance. He vividly portrayed the difference between a Christian and a church member.

Services tonight at 7:30. Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday School at 9:45 a. m., and Senior League at 6:30 p. m.

## CHURCH REOPENING

## Special Services Will Be Held at Woodbury Lutheran Church.

Trinity Lutheran Church, Woodbury, is to be reopened on Sunday, January 26, with fitting services. This is the date of the thirtieth anniversary of the dedication of the present edifice and it was thought best to commemorate it by a re-beautified church, hence the building has not only been painted white and a new iron roof put on it, but it has been made cozy within by a splendid hot air furnace, new lights, beautiful paper on the wall and fine Brussels carpet over the entire floor. This, with other needed furnishings, as collection plates, an individual communion service, a new pulpit Bible and leather upholstering, makes the church very inviting as well as attractive. It has all been accomplished by willing workers at an expense of upwards of \$500, most of which has been provided in advance.

The anniversary service will open at 10:30 a. m., with a union Communion service at which Rev. E. Dutt, pastor when the edifice was dedicated, will preach. In the afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, there will be a fraternal meeting at which neighboring pastors will bring words of greeting, while in the evening at 7 o'clock a week of special services will begin and be in charge of the pastor, Rev. Charles R. Streamer. Rev. E. R. McCauley, D. D., of Altoona is to preach Monday and Tuesday evenings, while others will likely assist in the meetings of the week. All are invited to attend.

## K. of P. Officers Installed

Monday night Past Grand Deputy Chancellor D. W. Prosser installed the officers of Bedford Lodge, No. 436, K. of P., as follows:

Chancellor Commander, J. T. Budd; Vice Chancellor, Russell C. Boore; Master of Work, A. D. Bowes; Prelate, William S. Lysinger; Master at Arms, H. T. Mortimore; Inner Guard, C. F. Watters; Outer Guard, H. P. Shires. The other officers of the Lodge, elected annually, are Master of Finance, J. S. Blymyer; Master of Exchequer, D. W. Prosser; Keeper of Records and Seal, M. W. Corle; Trustees, Jo. W. Tate, F. H. Brightbill and William S. Lysinger.

After the conclusion of the installation ceremonies, some interesting remarks were made by several of the members and a number of piano selections were given by Mr. Boore. The Lodge then adjourned to Allen's restaurant, where a feast, consisting of oysters, sandwiches, ice cream, cake and coffee, was served.

The Lodge has a membership of 107 members and a valuation of over \$8,000. The meetings are well attended and much interest is being manifested.

## Around the World Tourists Here

M. A. Hall, a young man 22 years old, and his mother, who live in New York, and are on a trip around the world in an automobile, stopped in Bedford last week at the Hotel Waverly, keeping their car at the Hoffman garage.

They left San Francisco on November 15th on the trip across the continent to New York, which is the last lap of the most remarkable pleasure tour on record.

When they reach New York they will have been completely around the world, having gone over all the main roads in 33 different countries, traveling about 40,000 miles by land and 20,000 by water. They have been nearly two years making the trip.

It is a non-advertising, pleasure trip-only. There was not any repair expense put on the car on the whole trip. Mr. Hall remarked about the beautiful scenery from Pittsburgh here stating that it was the best they had seen east of the Rocky Mountains and that there were very few trips in the foreign countries to equal it. He was also very much pleased with the fine road from Pittsburgh here.

## A Bit of English Humor.

An English humorist many years ago hit upon a neat way of scoring against certain politicians of the times. A comic journal, not being a newspaper within the meaning of the act, was prohibited from giving news, and so in place of a parliamentary report the humorist in question reported a few "first lines" from speeches by prominent members: "Sir Charles Wetherell said he was not sensible"—"Mr. Hunt was entirely ignorant"—"Lord Ashley said he should take the earliest opportunity of moving"—"Mr. Perceval presented a petition praying"—"Colonel Sibthorpe never could understand"—"Lord Lyndhurst said he must entreat of every one to give him credit"—"Sir Edward Sugden was not one of those who thought"—"Mr. Croker said he had the fullest assurance"—

**Wonderful Fiddles.**  
One of the greatest fiddles that ever were known was to be seen at the French court at the time of Charles IX. This was a viol so large that several boys could be placed inside of it. These boys used to sit inside this queer instrument and sing the airs that the man who handled the bow was playing on the viol outside. The effect is said to have been very beautiful, though it would seem as if the presence of the lads in its interior would seriously interfere with the tone of the "great fiddle," as it was called. Many years after another huge instrument of this kind was used at concerts in Boston. It was so large that to play it the fiddler had to stand on a table to use his bow at the proper point on the strings. This instrument was called "the grandfather of fiddles."

## Columbia River Thrice Named.

The Columbia river has had three names. It was first called the Oregon. Afterward it was called the St. Roque, but when it was discovered by Robert Gray in 1792 it was given the name of his vessel, the Columbia, in place of the two floating appellations. Oregon and St. Roque. According to Whitney, the original name of the river was the Oregon, "big ear" or "one that has big ears," the allusion being to the custom of the Indians who were found in its region of stretching their ears by boring them and crowding them with ornaments.

**Both Hate Him.**  
"Funny thing," remarked Wilson musingly. "Tom Wilkins and Edith Brown used to be great friends of mine. I introduced them to each other. They got married, and now neither of them will speak to me. Wonder what the reason can be?"

**Sometimes They Are.**  
Little Sister—What are goose eggs in baseball game? Big Brother—Innings in which no runs are made. Why do you ask? Little Sister—Oh, I thought they were laid by the foul of the game.—Chicago News.

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COMPELLED TO SELL  
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but having bought heavily and the Winter being open and mild, we find we have more

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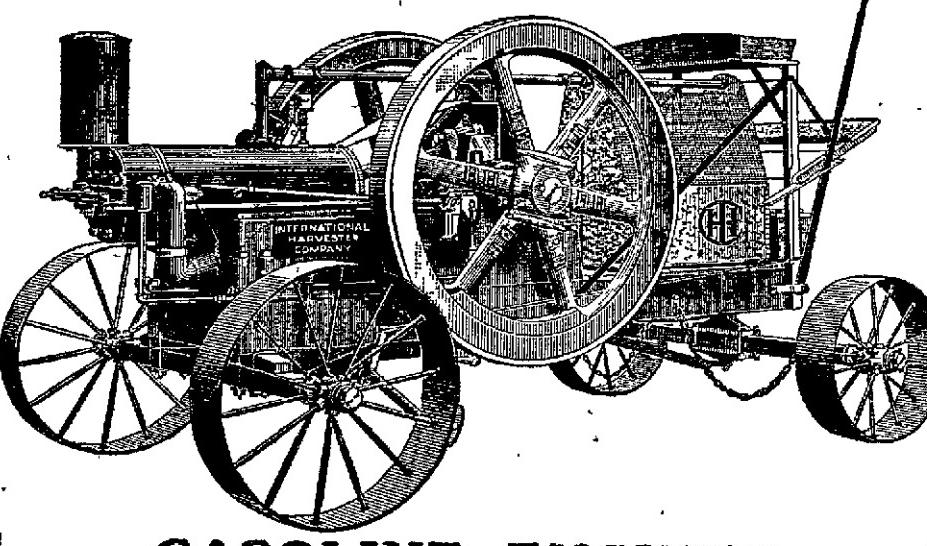
then we want at this time of the year and in order to cut the number down have decided to reduce the price for a couple weeks.

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## Rainsburg

January 21—The chicken and waffle supper held in the Hall Saturday evening was well attended and quite a nice sum of money was realized.

Miss Cora Filler left on Monday for a two weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. Clarence James, at Wilkinsburg.

J. M. Perdew, a prominent butcher of Cumberland, bought quite a fine bunch of cattle in our community on Monday.

D. J. Filler made a business trip to Bedford on Monday.

The stork passed through our village last week and was very generous with girl babies, leaving one at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Gillum on Friday and on Saturday one at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Hite.

Mrs. S. G. Pennell and daughter Margaret visited friends in Cumberland last week.

The work on our streets is progressing nicely under the efficient management of Ralph Cessna.

Master Clyde Hite is suffering with an attack of tonsilitis.

Rev. Snyder, a student of Franklin and Marshall, very ably filled the pulpit in the Reformed Church here Sunday evening.

Frank Eichelberger of Everett and Mr. Moore of Kenmore, N. Y., were business visitors in our village on Monday and Tuesday.

Lewis Nave, son of Tolbert Nave of near here, is very ill.

Chester Cessna made a business trip to Cumberland this week.

## Fishertown

January 22—Charles Adams and two children, of New Paris, spent Sunday at the home of Richard Wolfe.

Leslie Blackburn of Everett spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elias Blackburn.

John Faint made a business trip to Johnstown last week.

S. B. Way spent a few days at Windber recently.

Mrs. Frank Taylor, Joseph and Walter Allen, of Bedford, and Samuel Allen of Johnstown attended the

## Pine Grove

January 21—Mrs. Sarah Keagy of Woodbury is spending a week with her brother, R. O. Griffith, who is very ill.

Frank Manges has moved to Reynoldsdale; William Sleighter has moved to the farm vacated by Mr. Manges and Samuel Hoagland of Cessna moved to the farm vacated by Mr. Sleighter on Tuesday.

C. S. Berkheimer spent Wednesday at the county capital.

Ross Bowser has gone to Johnstown to secure employment.

The pupils of Pine Grove school have greatly improved the yard by erecting a new fence.

Several of our young folks attended the "spelling bee" which was held at the Griffith school last Wednesday evening.

Josiah Manges, who has been on the sick list, is able to be around again.

Several large flocks of wild ducks were seen here last week, which is an unusual thing for this time of year.

Mrs. William Sleighter, who has been very ill, is able to be around again.

St. Clairsville Lutheran Charge John H. Zinn, D. D., Pastor Services next Sunday as follows:

St. John's — Sunday School, 9;

preaching, 10. Messiah — Sunday School, 1; preaching, 2. Catechetical instruction after services.

## Point

January 21—Mrs. G. C. Claycomb of Oppenheimer spent several days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Smith.

T. R. Studebaker was a Windber visitor last week. E. J. Caltenbaugh returned with him from a business trip to Johnstown.

George A. Dull expects to move to a farm of W. S. A. Lee above Pleasantville on Thursday. E. J. Caltenbaugh will move to Johnstown on Thursday, January 30. We are sorry to lose both Mr. Dull and Mr. Caltenbaugh and families, as they were good neighbors.

The supervisors have appointed C. W. Blackburn road master of our community. It is hoped by our people that all the bad places will be put in good condition soon.

Valentine Leppert and wife and Mrs. E. C. King and son were visitors to Johnstown several days last week.

John Cable left for Missouri on Monday, after a visit of several weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cable.

Luther B. Davis and Miss Susan Barley were married by Rev. Herman Snyder Saturday evening, January 18.

## Hooker

## Pleasantville

January 22—Miss Eva Miller of Altoona is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Miller.

Miss Della Peterson is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Faint, at Fishertown.

Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Harbaugh, of New Paris, spent last week with Charles Harbaugh.

Miss Ruie Hammer, a teacher of Lincoln Township, visited Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Statler Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Mary Faint of Fishertown is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Will Peterson.

George Yarnal is spending the week in Windber.

An enjoyable dance was held at the Watkins Hotel Thursday evening; a large crowd was present and all report a good time.

Quite a number of members of the I. O. O. F. attended the funeral of their brother, J. W. Gephart, at New Paris on Monday.

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**THE WOMAN'S BRIGADE**  
A Story of A. D. 1946  
By SUSAN YOUNG PORTER

During the first and second decades of the twentieth century the women of England and America determined to wrest the vote for themselves from selfish man. The principal argument used against them was: "If you are citizens in one respect you must be citizens in all respects. If you are voters you must be soldiers."

The women triumphed. But their securing the vote brought about that which in the beginning they had not intended. Having proved their courage and endurance, they were forced to do military service. The more delicate women could not be induced to go to the polls. This gave the men a majority, and an act was passed by congress requiring military service from women as well as men.

To the surprise of every one, they sprang forward with alacrity. That aggressive spirit which had led many of them to smash windows led them to enlist, and the woman's brigade of the United States army was organized and placed under the command of women officers. The corps had hardly been completed when the anarchic condition of Mexico rendered intervention necessary, and the Mexican war of 1846 was repeated. The woman's brigade was sent with other troops by sea to Vera Cruz and began a rapid march toward the capital.

Almost on the exact ground on which was fought a century before the battle of Buena Vista another fight occurred between the Mexicans and Americans, in which the women took a conspicuous part. But, unfortunately for General Pollywottle, the American commander, it was his first fight with such an auxiliary, and he was utterly ignorant of certain provisions he should have made to guard against contingencies to which they were liable.

In this respect the Mexican commander, Antonio Rodriguez Bustamante, proved greatly the American's superior. The Mexicans were drawn up in line of battle to resist the advance of the Americans, who hurried themselves against their enemy with great vigor. The woman's brigade, being a part of the reserve, stood under arms, impatiently waiting to be led forward. Colonel Amanda Patterson of the First regiment sat her horse superbly, resplendent in a uniform cut and decorated in a fashion that excited the admiration and envy of the whole corps. Major Mildred Fortescue rode over to Colonel Patterson to ask her who was her tailor. Colonel Patterson refused to give the information. This led to hot words between the two, in which many of their subordinates joined, and before long their shrill words could be heard above the singing bullets and shrieking shells.

"For heaven's sake," roared the American commander to an aid, "send those women into the fight! Our men can't hear the orders for the din we make, and there'll be a panic. Order their general to lead them against the enemy's left flank and turn it if possible. Should they succeed the battle is won."

General Angelina De Lancy, a young commander of whom much was expected, as soon as she received the order, drawing her sword, swung it over her head. Unfortunately she severed two ostrich feathers worth a hundred dollars each, and so unnerved was she that valuable time was lost. When she recovered from the loss of her treasures she directed her bugler to sound the advance.

Now, General Bustamante, as I have said, had great experience with women, having been married seven times which is once more than King Henry VIII., and had prepared an expedition for them which, on seeing their advance, he put into operation.

"What is that the enemy are bring from those mortars?" asked the American commander, raising his glass.

"They look like paper shells," remarked his chief of staff.

Great wads of paper rose in the air and, breaking apart, were scattered on the ground over which the woman's brigade was passing. Here and there a soldier in the ranks picked up one and became absorbed in reading some thing printed and looking at pictures on it.

"Great heavens!" cried General Pollywottle, "they are stopping to pick up the papers. The advance is delayed. Precious time is being lost."

Presently an officer from the woman's brigade was seen riding full gallop toward the commander in chief. When she came up she saluted and said:

"General De Lancy directs me to report that the enemy have fired a volley of fashion plates with descriptive articles among the troops. This has checked the advance and she is unable to induce them to advance farther. They are poring over the papers and are insensible even to danger. General De Lancy respectfully suggests that you send another force to turn the enemy's flank."

Words that sounded like a volley from a gatling gun left the general's lips. There were no other troops to send in place of the woman's brigade and General Bustamante, seeing his advantage, sounded a general advance. The battle was lost. Within ten minutes the American army was in full retreat. The Mexicans passed the woman's brigade still intent on the fashion plates and cut them off.

The corps became disorganized, many of the soldiers marrying Mexicans

**CONQUEST OF THE AIR.**

First Public Flight of an Aeroplane In This Country.

In "The Curtiss Aviation Book" Glenn Curtiss describes the first public aeroplane flight in America, in the days before any one had ever heard of the young Yankee inventor, and he was experimenting with Alexander Graham Bell and others:

"Baldwin climbed into the seat, took the control in hand, and we cranked the motor. When we released our hold of the machine it sped over the ice like a scared rabbit for two or three hundred feet and then, much to our joy, it jumped into the air. This was what we had worked for through many long months, and naturally we watched the brief and uncertain course of Baldwin with a good deal of emotion.

"Rising to a height of six or seven feet, Baldwin flew the unbroken distance of 318 feet 11 inches! Then he came down ingloriously on one wing. As we learned afterward, the frail framework of the tail had bent and the machine had flopped over on its side, and dropped on the wing, which gave way and caused the machine to turn completely around.

"It had taken just seven weeks to build the machine and get it ready for the trial; it had taken just about twenty seconds to smash it. But a great thing had been accomplished. We had achieved the first public flight of a heavier than air machine in America!"

**THE FIRST WATCHES.**

They Had Weights, Not Springs, and Were as Big as Plates.

At first the watch was about the size of a dessert plate. It had weights and was used as a "pocket clock." The earliest known use of the modern name occurs in the record of 1552, which mentions that Edward VI. had "one larum or watch of iron, the case being likewise of iron gilt, with two plummets of lead."

The first watches may readily be supposed to have been of rude execution. The first great improvement, the substitution of springs for weights, was in 1550. The earliest springs were not coiled, but only straight pieces of steel. Early watches had only one hand and, being wound up twice a day, they could not be expected to keep time nearer than fifteen or twenty minutes in the twelve hours. The dials were of silver or brass. The cases had no crystals, but opened at the back and front and were four or five inches in diameter.

A plain watch cost the equivalent of \$1,600 in our currency, and after one was ordered it took a year to make it—Exchange.

**Exasperating.**

A stuttering salesman called on a New York buyer with an excellent proposition. In well turned sentences he proceeded to lay before the buyer his superb argument. But, alas, in every well turned sentence there were "bs" and "rns," and over these the salesman stammered pitifully.

The buyer before whom he was pleading was a caustic, nasty sort of chap, and after five minutes of stammering at a point where the salesman was floundering most dreadfully, the buyer held up his hand and said:

"I'm afraid I can't understand you. Call again when you're sober."

The salesman turned scarlet with mortification and rage.

"B-b-b-but—"

"No," said the buyer, waving him resolutely toward the door, "not now—when you're sober."

And the infuriated salesman departed.—Washington Star.

**Macaulay as a Talker.**

Where Macaulay's talk failed is clearly shown by Greville. "If he could tread less heavily on the ground, if he could touch the subjects he handles with a lighter hand, if he knew when to stop as well as he knows what to say, his talk would be as attractive as it is wonderful." It is all summed up in the sentence, "He gave society more than it required and not exactly of the kind." Macaulay, in fact, suffered from excess of the first requisite of talk, according to Johnson—"material." As Sir Henry Taylor said, "His memory had swamped his mind."

Flashes of ignorance as well as of silence are necessary to the perfect talker. And so, as has been said, Macaulay often exhausted his audiences before he exhausted the subject.—London Chronicle.

**A Juvenile Critic.**

A small girl of five was walking recently with her mother through the public garden in Boston. The Washington monument attracted her attention, and she inquired what it was.

"That," replied her mother, "is a statue of George Washington."

The little lady regarded it critically for some moments, and then she said, "Washington didn't take a very good statue, did he, mother?"—Everybody's

**No Self Seeker.**

Indulgent Uncle—The trouble with you, Horace, is that you have not struck your proper vocation. You haven't found yourself yet. Scapergate Nephew—Huh! You want me to be a self seeker, do you, uncle?—Chicago Tribune.

**It Was on Foot.**

You say that there is a movement on foot?

"Sure—did you expect it to be on horseback, or in an automobile, or perhaps in an airship?"—New York Press

We sometimes have those little ruses which Providence sends to enhance the value of its favors.—Goldsmith

**After any Sickness**

nothing so rapidly restores health and vigor as **SCOTT'S EMULSION**. It is the essence of natural body-nourishment, so medically perfect that nature immediately appropriates and distributes it to every organ, every tissue—feeding, nourishing and restoring them to normal activity.

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**How to Make a Youngster's Rubbers Wear**

In the February Woman's Home Companion appears the following suggestion. It is published in the department devoted to practical household news:

"My boys wear out their rubbers so fast that I finally learned how to make one pair last a full season. I get our cobbler to put one thickness of leather on the inside of the heel and another on the outside, and then fasten on the regular heelplate. He does this for ten cents, and it is amazing, as well as gratifying, to see how long the rubbers last."

**Important Question**

More vegetarian humor. One of the fleshless fraternity telephones us that he engaged a German cook lady not long ago. His wife liked the appearance of the applicant; her references were good, and the wages she demanded not exorbitant.

"I'd like to have you come," said the lady of the house, "but perhaps you won't want to live with us. We are vegetarians and never have any meat in the house. Would you be satisfied with a vegetable diet?"

The fraulein scratched her head.

"Well," she said dubiously, "is beer a vegetable?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer

**The Greek Symposium.**

The Greek symposium was literally "drinking together," but before the drinking fully began there was a banquet, more or less elaborate, as the wealth and taste of the host might dictate. The guests came in their best. Even old Socrates, Plato tells us in his "Dialogue" on the subject, was not above taking a little extra pains when he was invited out. Some one met him one day in the market place, "fresh from the bath and sandaled," and as the sight of the sandals was unusual he asked him whether he was going that he was so fine. "To a banquet at Agathon's," he replied, "and I have put on my finery because he is a fine creature. What say you to going with me unbidden?"

"I object!" cried the lady.

"The objection is not sustained," ruled the judge.

"Nevertheless I prefer to respect the defendant's wishes," said the plaintiff.

"I will omit the rest of what happened except so far as it pertains to the law of contracts I then and there asked your daughter to be my wife. Her head sank!"

"I object again!" cried the lady.

"The plaintiff states in one breath that he will omit what happened except as to a contract he claims to have been made and in the next breath his promise."

"I beg the defendant's pardon," continued Mr. Fanning.

"What occurred is the delight of my life. I was in a whirl of joy!"

"Yes," interrupted the judge.

"The court understands all that. He has been there himself, though many years ago. Please confine yourself to the contract."

"Your daughter, her beautiful face buried against my breast, whispered 'Yes.'"

There were a few moments of silence,

when the judge announced to his daughter that he was ready to hear her defense.

"Your honor," she began—"I mean

papa—I base my defense upon that law

which has protected many a minor in

an inheritance, the law against exerci-

ting undue influence upon a testator.

Mr. Fanning sought to deprive the no-

bale profession of the law of life's

services. He took advantage of our

pleasant surroundings, the cheerful

light, the aroma of flowers, the lux-

urious sofa!"

"Chair?" interrupted the plaintiff.

"Will you protect me?" cried the girl, appealing to her father.

"Another such interruption," said the judge sternly to Fanning.

"and I will fine you for contempt."

"I claim," the defendant proceeded,

"that Mr. Fanning took advantage of

these surroundings to unduly influence

me to bequeath myself to him instead

of my natural heir, the law."

"And I claim," urged the plaintiff,

"that in giving herself to the law the

defendant disinherits her natural heirs

a husband and children, besides wreck-

ing the life of myself, the plaintiff in

this case."

A silence followed these words, which

were spoken with great depth of feel-

ing. It was broken by the judge, who

asked of Fanning:

"Do you desire to enter any rebuttal

of my daughter's statement?"

"No, your honor. I rest my case

which I have summed up in my last

words—that if the contract is broken

it will result in the wrecking of my

life."

"I reserve my decision," said the

judge. "The court will take a recess

for half an hour, at the end of which

the decision will be handed down.

He retired from the room, leaving the

plaintiff and defendant together. In

exactly half an hour he returned and

seating himself, appeared to be fram-

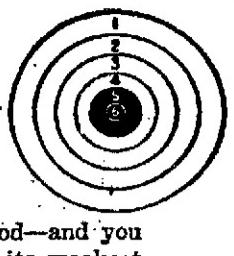
ing what he was about to say when

his daughter spoke:

"You needn't trouble yourself, papa.

The case has

## The Stomach Is the Target →



Aim to make that strong—and digestion good—and you will keep well! No chain is stronger than its weakest link. No man is stronger than his stomach. With stomach disordered, a train of diseases follow.

### Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery

makes the stomach healthy, the liver active and the blood pure. Made from forest roots, and extracted without the use of alcohol. Sold by druggists, in liquid form at \$1.00 per bottle for over 40 years, giving general satisfaction.

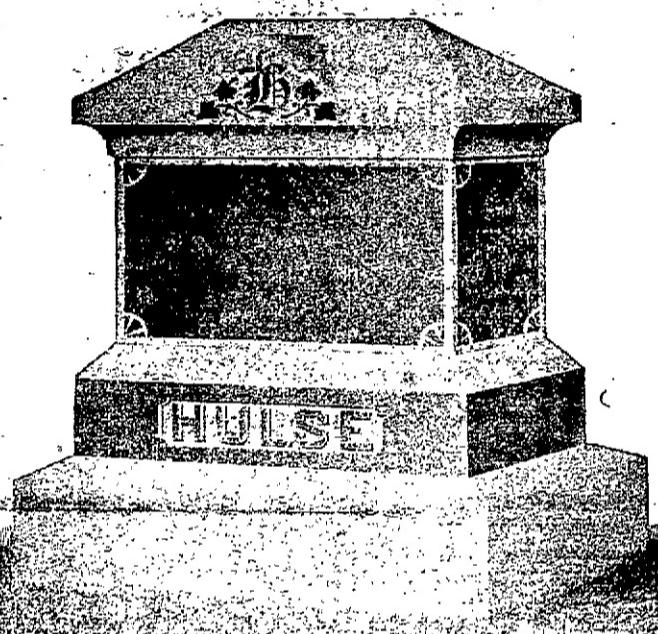
If you prefer tablets as modified by R. V. Pierce, M. D., these can be had of medicine dealers or trial box by mail on receipt of 50¢ in stamp.

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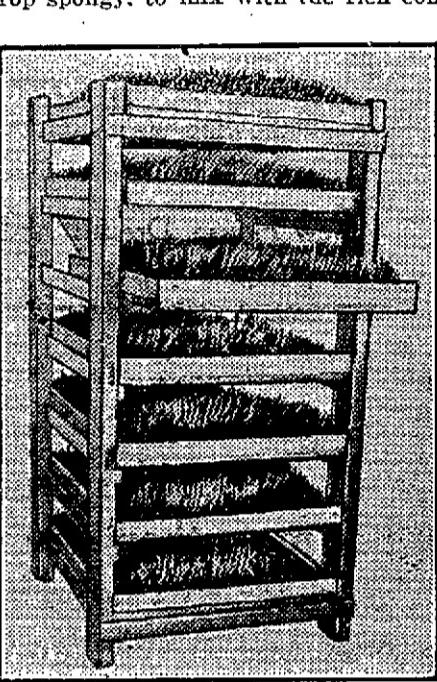


Photo by C. M. Barnitz.

#### RACK FOR SPROUTING OATS.

centrated grain ration so that the hen may not get overfat and indigestion.

The fancier who does not feed succulent greens as well as good grains need not expect many eggs in winter for it's the good green stuff that helps to bring the big bunch of eggs in spring and summer, and it is just as essential for winter laying.

Sprouting oats is easy. Sprouting cabinets with heating apparatus are now on the market. A rack like the picture or any old box with narrow rim will do.

Simply soak clean, sound oats in warm water for a day and then spread in trays about two inches deep and keep in temperature of 60 to 70 degrees which contained many pellets. It has been demonstrated that hens vary in the time of their top notch performance, some doing the trick in their pullet year and others waiting to that period when Dr. Osler would give it to everybody in the neck.

One thing the egg laying contests demonstrate—viz, that members of the same breed differ in laying capacity. At one place a breed leads, and at another competition the same breed is the tailender. Thus it does not depend on the breed name, but the strain of that breed, for a good record.

Professor Lippincott of the Kansas experiment station has been conducting egg candling schools throughout the state for the instruction of all persons dealing in eggs. By the old plan the wholesaler only candled eggs and the customer eventually paid for the rots. All the states should give this instruction.

Some hotels refuse to buy ducks unless guaranteed not to have been fed on fish. How different from the day when the puddle duck was in vogue! It lived on mullets, tadpoles, frogs and water skippers and was considered an epicurean perfecto.

"Good morning, professor," called out the trustee heartily.

"If you must call me professor," replied Mr. Wilson, "speak low, for every one around here will think that I am a bootblack."

Kindly Counsel

"Sir," said Baron Fucash, "I desire to ask your consent to my marriage with your daughter."

"Well," replied Mr. Cumrox, "take my advice and don't let anybody know that you have done so. If she and her mother find it out you will be regarded in this household as having set a very dangerous precedent."

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

[Estate of Charles N. Martz, late of Hyndman Borough, Bedford County, Pa., deceased.]

Letters of administration on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make prompt payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay to

JASPER LUMAN,  
Administrator,

B. F. MADORE,  
Attorney. Jan. 17-67

PUBLIC SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY

The undersigned executrix of George P. Swartz, late of Bedford Township, will sell at the late residence of the deceased, south of Bedford, on Wednesday, January 29, at 1:30 p. m., the following personal property:

Two mares, with foal; two-horse wagon, sled, buggy, Champion binder, mowing machine, horse-rake, one-horse cornplanter, plows, harrows and other farming implements and personal property of the deceased.

Terms:—Liberal, and will be announced at sale.

MARY J. AMICK,  
Administratrix c. t. a.

D. C. REILEY, Attorney. 17Jan67

ADMINISTRATRIX' NOTICE

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ADMINISTRATRIX' NOTICE

[Estate of Henry Richardson, negro of Ro

Ga., confessed to stealing 1,000 chickens in three months and making \$100 per month through their sale.

Fifty chickens was often a night's fare.

Don't scald the head and legs of poultry. They discolor and spoil the appearance of a pretty carcass.

Don't use all the adjectives in the English vocabulary to sell a fifty cent hen. A buyer knows a liar.

Don't take soiled eggs to market. People judge you by the goods you sell.

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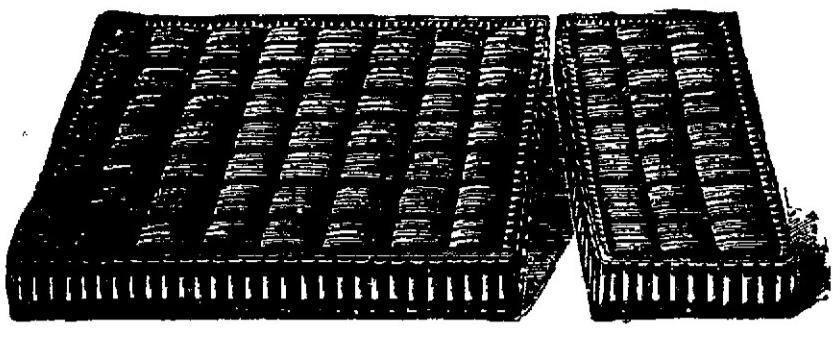
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It is economy for the Ford Motor Company to use this high-priced, fine grained steel in all Ford construction as it doubles the life of the car—lessens by half the number of repairs—and multiplies by two its general serviceableness.

The Ford's wonderful lightness and surprising strength are due to Vanadium Steel.

New prices—Touring car, \$600; Torpedo Runabout, \$525, F. O. B. Detroit.

**UNION GARAGE, Bedford, Pa.**

Also Agent for BUICK Automobiles.

### SOLONS IN SESSION

(Continued From First Page.)

To standardize weights and measures under State supervision.

Repealing the mercantile license fee law.

Constitutional convention bill presented.

Resolution for ratification of income tax amendment.

Resolution for amendment to Federal constitution whereby United States Senators may be elected by direct vote.

Mr. Matt presented one of the three pension bills providing pensions for veterans of the Civil War and carrying with it an appropriation of \$1,900,000.

**Mr. Matt Makes Explanation**

In the Democratic caucus the argument on the filling of the clerkships was brought up by Matt, just as the caucus was ready to adjourn. He prefaced his remarks with the declaration that the caucus had practically repudiated the work of their committeemen, and that he could not be bound by the caucus to repudiate the action of the House.

All that is certain is that an effort will be made by the independents at the next day's session to oust Leib from his position and to elect their own or the Democratic candidate in his place. They claim that Wednesday's events have caused gains to their ranks, and that Leib, if he is compelled to submit his cause to the House again, will surely lose.

Leib himself had left for home when the discovery was made; but his friends were thrown into a frenzy of fear and excitement, and they have been busy ever since, attempting to explain away the apparent facts, and to forestall a renewal of hostilities, which, nevertheless, appears inevitable at next Monday night's session.

Leib cannot spare the three votes, his announced vote being 104, the exact number required to elect.

What the powers of the House are in this situation has not been definitely decided by the leaders of any faction. All that is certain is that an effort will be made by the independents at the next day's session to oust Leib from his position and to elect their own or the Democratic candidate in his place. They claim that Wednesday's events have caused gains to their ranks, and that Leib, if he is compelled to submit his cause to the House again, will surely lose.

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On Wednesday, February 5, 1913, Jacob Sone will sell on his farm, formerly known as the Beltz farm, near Buffalo Mills, the following personal property: Two horses, 1 mare in foal, colt 4 months old; hay and straw by the ton; 10 tons baled hay, 2 sets buggy harness, 2 sets work harness, mower, drill, buggy, sleigh, 2 wagons, plows, harrows, and other farming implements; household goods and many other articles too numerous to mention.

### Wanted, For Sale, For Rent, Etc.,

RATES—One cent per word for each insertion. No advertisement accepted for less than 15 cents.

Just received a car of ear corn. H. H. Lysinger, Bedford.

For Rent—Two elegant office rooms in the Barnett Building, 10 Jtf.

For Sale—Double heat stove in good condition; cheap. Dr. H. R. Brightbill, Bedford.

For Sale—Five hundred heads of cabbage in bulk or small lots. James Manock, Bedford, Rt. 1.

For Rent—Several desirable properties. M. P. Heckerman, Bedford. 3 Jan. tf.

Wanted—2,000 telegraph poles from 35 to 65 feet in length. A. E. Egolf, Bedford.

Wanted—Girl to do general housework; good wages. Apply at once. Mrs. A. Hoffman, Bedford, Pa.

For Sale—Good second-hand dearborn wagon. Apply to Fred Gardner, Bedford.

For Sale—Locust Posts and Wire Fence; Gasoline Engines, \$50 and up. W. F. Cromwell, Bedford, Pa.

Dr. Sears may be consulted at Bedford Wednesday, January 29, on diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat.

For Sale—Eighty acres of land. Price \$1,200. William McIntire, Comins, Mich., Box One. 3 Jan 4t.

For Rent—Four rooms on second floor of Ridenour Block, heated. Rates from \$5 to \$10 per month. J. W. Ridenour, Bedford.

We have put in stock and will continue to carry a complete line of photographic supplies, films, plates, etc. Ed. D. Heckerman, the Druggist.

For Sale—Three hundred acres of choice timber and farm land, one and one-half miles northeast of Bedford. Orchard of 500 choice apple trees just beginning to bear. For full particulars call or address G. Walter Danler, Bedford, Pa. Jan 17-2t.

The Best Dry Battery on Earth for gasoline engines, automobiles and gas lighting machines at Heckerman's Drug Store, Bedford, Pa.

Bedford, Pa., Dec. 12, 1912. Mr. J. Roy Cessna, Special Agent, Equitable Life Assurance Society, Bedford, Pa.

Dear Sir—I beg to acknowledge receipt of voucher in full settlement of policy No. 1,042,785 held by my deceased husband, A. J. Otto. The promptness of the Equitable Life Assurance Society and yourself is appreciated by me. Yours truly, (Signed) MRS. ISABELLA M. OTTO.

#### AUCTIONEER

Will call all kinds of sales on reasonable terms. Years of experience. Frank J. Smith, Rt. 1, Bedford. 3 Jtf

#### COAL

Before placing your orders for Big Vein Georges Creek Coal, in car loads, write me for prices. Big Vein, Small Vein and Lump.

JOHN R. WARFIELD, Box 226, Cumberland, Md. Jan. 17-2m.

The Huntingdon and Broad Top Mountain Railroad and Coal Co. Office, North American Building, Philadelphia, Pa.

January 20th, 1913. The Annual Meeting of the stockholders of The Huntingdon and Broad Top Mountain Railroad and Coal Company will be held at the office of the Company on Tuesday, February 4th, 1913 at 12 o'clock noon, when an election will be held for the directors for the ensuing year.

J. A. PFOOTS, Secretary, 24 Jan. 2t.

#### NOTICE

I hereby give legal notice that James Kinney, my husband, this twenty-second day of January, 1913, left my bed and board, and I further give notice that I will not pay any bills or accounts made by my said husband.

CARRIE B. KINNEY Schellsburg, R. D. 1, Jan. 22, 1913.

#### SALE REGISTER

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#### DIED

RININGER—On Saturday, January 18, Samuel R. Rininger died at Pinckney, near Altoona, aged 68 years.

He is survived by his wife, six daughters, one son and four brothers, one of whom is James Rininger of Spring Meadow.

Interment was made in the Logan Valley Cemetery, Bellwood, on Tuesday, January 21.

TATE—Sunday morning, January 19, Joseph Tate died at Mill Creek, Huntingdon County, of pneumonia.

Two sons, two daughters and one brother, Jacob Tate of Hopewell, survive.

Buy your films for your camera at Dull's.

## SPECIAL PRICES AT METZGER'S BIG STORE

In order to make room for our Spring stock, we will give special prices on our Large Stock of

PARLOR AND BED ROOM FURNITURE, CARPETS, RUGS, MATTINGS AND LINOLEUMS; ROBES, HORSE BLANKETS AND HARNESS, SINGLE AND DOUBLE HEATERS, COOK STOVES AND RANGES.

Prof. J. W. Barney of Defiance gave a well prepared address on the Sunday School and the need of taking an interest in the same. Prof. Barney is principal of the Broad Top Township High School and one of Bedford County's best educators. The pastor closed the services with a few remarks.

Revival services were held in the evening and the house was crowded and several were converted. The meeting will continue during the week. The pastor, Rev. F. W. McGuire, will preach at Coaldale, January 26, at 10:30 and at North Point at 2:30 p. m.

# Barnett's Store

THE HOUSE THAT SAVES YOU MONEY

LOTS of new things have come to us this week. This Store has already taken on a Spring-like appearance. Many housekeepers like to do their Sewing early in the Spring.

Among the New Goods which have arrived, none are more popular for House Dresses and Kimonos than the beautiful line of Crepes and Ripplets in plain, banded and figured designs. Price 25c

New Dress Ginghams—every grade from 8c to Silk Mixtures at 25c.

#### New Lace Curtains

and Curtain Material by the yard from the biggest showing we've ever made in this line.

New House Dresses and Wrappers are here at popular prices.

Also big lots of Wide Linen Suiting, Ratines and Rough Surface Materials, New Embroideries, Flounces, Laces and everything in White Goods is ready for the Spring Trade.

This week a big stock of Kitchen and Cooking Utensils took possession of our basement, and we now show the most complete assortment of Granite and Tinware Articles ever brought to Bedford.

Don't forget the offer made on Ladies' Coats and Suits, 50 per cent. cut is big interest.

## Parcel Post

Since the event of Parcel Post, our Mail Order business has more than doubled. Now a good many customers have paid for this Merchandise by remitting the ordinary letter postage which we cannot use on packages nor exchange at Post Office.

Therefore we will respectfully ask the public to remit us Parcel Post Stamps, and not Letter Stamps as heretofore.

Try the New Parcel System and see how cheap and convenient it is.

## NOW

is the time to save money on horse goods

20 per cent.

reduction on all Lap Robes and Blankets.

Also liberal reduction on all Heat Stoves.

**BLYMYER HDW. CO.**

Mail and phone orders given prompt attention.

#### Social Gathering

The neighbors and friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Appleman, of near New Paris, recently in honor of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Appleman. The young folks were presented with a nice quilt. A fine dinner was served and the following persons spent a pleasant day: Mr. and Mrs. John Appleman, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howsare, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Custer, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Appleman, Mrs. Harvey Custer, Mrs. Carrie Miller, Mrs. David Custer, Mrs. Durbin Miller, Mrs. Sarah Miller, Mrs. Stella Shaffer, Mrs. Angie Shaffer, Lena, Margaret, John, Howard and Harry Custer; Marie, Gladys, Mervin and Bruce Miller; Geraldine and Edward Shaffer; Lloyd Zimmers.

#### Deeds Recorded

Emma J. Price et al. to Arthur H. Smith, tract in Harrison; nominal.

Albert A. Bittner to David M. Kelly, interest in 400 acres in Harrison; \$1,750.

Louisa H. Hickok to Luther D. Blackwelder, lot in Bedford; nominal.

Alonza L. Simmons to John W. Pee, lot in Everett; \$1,375.

Milton Brotemarkle et al. to Henry R. Nave, 2 tracts in Cumberland Valley; \$3,200.

Jacob S. Leonard to David Henderson, lot in Londonderry; \$150.

J. Scott Barnett to Albert Grove, lot in Everett; \$350.

Jonah Berkstresser to Minnie C. Steele, lot in Saxton; \$1,000.

Leanna Blough to Orlo Blough, 5 tracts in South Woodbury; \$4,500.

Samuel B. Hartle to John A. Miller, tract in Lincoln; \$1,000.

Josiah H. Miller et al. to Elizabeth Miller, tract in Lincoln; nominal.

William H. Beaver et al. to John E. Garlinger, tract in Napier; \$1,212.91.

St. Clairsville Reformed Charge

J. W. Zehring, Pastor

Imler: Sunday School 9; Holy Communion 10. Preparatory service, Saturday, 2 p. m. Osterburg: Sunday School 1; worship and sermon 2:15 p. m.; catechetical 3:15.

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